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Spratt Announces Federal Funds for Marlboro Water Co.

WASHINGTON — U.S. Rep. John Spratt (D-SC) announced today that Marlboro Water Co. has won nearly \$6 million in federal funds from the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

Spratt said USDA approved a \$1.1 million loan and a \$851,100 grant for extending water lines along Highway 38 to serve 100 additional users. At present, residents in this area get their water from shallow, private wells with poor water quality. About 62 fire hydrants will also be installed.

USDA also approved a \$2.3 million loan and a \$1.6 million grant for a water project in the “Great Pee Dee” Champion community. The funds will be used to make water line extensions and construct a 200,000 gallon elevated water tank, a well, and a treatment plant to meet the needs of existing users, plus an additional 200 users.

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